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ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional)

REVIEW OF PROCESSED OUT MATERIAL (POM)

FROM:

RID/ARD/DU
G E 58

EXTENSION

NO

MC-BA-3254

DATE

9 Jul 49

TO: (Officer designation, room number and building)

DATE

OFFICER'S INITIALS

COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)

1. E /RMO

for

INSTRUCTIONS FOR REVIEW OF PROCESSED OUT MATERIAL (POM)

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Signed: E

R.O. # 354 Unit 76

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DATE 9 February 1949

TO : Chief, Foreign Branch M
FROM : Chief of Station, Karlsruhe, Germany
SUBJECT: General - Operational
Specific - Progress Report, CAISSON 10 and 10a
REF :

1. Attached are Agent Service Records on Subjects. CAISSON 10a, courier to CAISSON 10, had reported earlier in the month that the latter had been subjected to a brief interrogation and house search by the German Criminal Police in Frankfurt/Oder. At that time he was asked about his occasional trips to Berlin, but the matter was not pressed. On 20 January 1949, CAISSON 10 was taken off the station platform where he was employed as porter and shiner of shoes, and put to work in the station restaurant as a waiter, a calling which was his regular one before the war. This transfer made it impossible for him to continue his intelligence-gathering activities for us, and he was dropped, effective the end of January, along with CAISSON 10a, his courier.

2. CAISSON 10 has never given us a satisfactory explanation for his apparently erroneous report stating that the railroad bridge at Frankfurt is double-tracked, but as far as I know there have been no glaring holes in his railroad watching reports on the whole. Possibly he became frightened at the police investigation directed at him, and decided to terminate his activities for us gracefully. Another possibility is that the Soviets were really suspicious of him, and unable or unwilling to take the time to pin anything on him, decided to remove him from regular sight of the railway traffic going through the yard. However this may be, we have no choice in the matter, and must record him as dropped.

ASR on CAISSON-10a, now MGB-A-3254/1, Red

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- 1 - COS w/2 encl.
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CAISSON 10

Germany

April 1947

Small amts. op'n'l
supplies each month

250
East M

None

None

X

31 Jan 1949

Transfer out of position which gave him access
to intelligence.

None

None; he knows [] by the name of [], and does not
know his address or telephone number.

No

Simply dropped in Frankfurt/Oder

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not apply, [X]

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